another fine black line for two thirds upwards; there is also a black spot just below the middle and close to the outer side of the band on the fore wings; a thin marginal interrupted line and black points close to the outer margin on both wings; a black dot at the end of the cell on the hind wings. Underside paler, no markings; the cell-dots and a complete festooned black line on the outer margin of both wings, most prominent in the female.

Expanse of wings,  $\delta 1_{\overline{10}}^4$ ,  $\mathfrak{P} 1_{\overline{10}}^7$  inch.

♂, Gédé, W. Java. ♀, Padang, Sumatra.

Allied to *Iluza transversa*, Moore, from Sikkim and Assam. There is a male from Bali in the B. M. unnamed, Quadrifid drawer no. 222.

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3. Moss-green; palpi and frons ochreous white, palpi at the sides, head, and antennæ black: wings somewhat pale between the bands, making them more or less variegated in colour, with four transverse, duplex, green, slightly dentated bands at equal distances apart, commencing from black spots on the costa of the fore wings and with black spots throughout on each inner band, the outer margin of both wings with equally prominent black spots; cilia white, a black spot at the end of each cell. Underside whitish, suffused with dull pale green; a black spot at the end of each cell and a dull blackish submarginal band more or less macular.

Expanse of wings  $1_{10}^{7}$  inch. Padang, Sumatra; one example.

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